

Application No. 09/831,327  
Paper dated October 8, 2003  
Reply to Advisory Action of August 26, 2003  
Attorney Docket No. 1217-010737

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/831,327 ✓  
Applicants : Hachirou Kushida et al. ✓  
Filed : May 7, 2001 ✓  
Title : Decorative Item and Process for Producing the Same  
Group Art Unit : 1775 ✓  
Examiner : Archene A. Turner ✓

MS RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Madam:

Applicants request a second and third month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action. The outstanding Action was mailed on April 9, 2003, and the period for response was three months, making the response due on July 9, 2003. A Petition for One-Month Extension of Time was filed on August 6, 2003, bringing the response due on August 9, 2003. Therefore, a second and third month extension of time will bring the response due on October 9, 2003.

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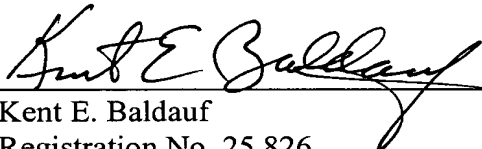
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A check in the amount of \$1,610.00 is enclosed to cover the difference between the fee for a one-month extension of time and the fee for a three-month extension of time (\$840.00) and the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) fee (\$770.00).

The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. The original and two copies of this Petition are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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